

bob jones university

COMMENCEMENT CONCERT

Presented by the Division of Music of the School of Fine Arts

PROGRAM

- Finale from Symphony No. 1 in E Flat Saint-Saens
University Symphonic Band
- Two Magnificats Pachelbel
Brass Choir
- The Creation Scott
*University Oratorio Society, conducted by
Leonard Holliday
Read by David Yearick*
- Prometheus Overture Beethoven
University Orchestra
- The Last Words of David Thompson
University Orchestra and Oratorio Society

INTERMISSION

the university opera association

presents

Giacomo Puccini's

GIANNI SCHICCHI

An Opera in One Act

Libretto by Giovacchino Forzano

The English Version by Percy Pitt

(presented by arrangement with G. Ricordi, New York)

MUSICAL STAFF

- Conductor J. R. Edwards
Concertmaster Alessandro Niccoli
Coach-Accompanist Alice Gingery

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Gianni Schicchi	Dwight Gustafson
Lauretta, his daughter	Gwendolyn Gustafson
The Relatives of Buoso Donati:	
Zita, a cousin to Buoso	JoAnn Kotlarich
Rinuccio, Zita's nephew, in love with Lauretta	Gail Gingery
Gherardo, Buoso's nephew	Gordon Leavitt
Nella, his wife	Ruth Schmoll
Gherardino, their son	Charles Hess
Betto, a cousin to Buoso	James Greasby
Simone, a cousin to Buoso	Edgar Eklof
Marco, his son	Donald DeGraw
La Ciesca, Marco's wife	Marian Liverman
Master Spinellochio, a physician	Stanley Henderson
Amantio Di Nicolao, a notary	James Ryerson
Pinellino, a shoemaker	Richard Prochnow
Guccio, a dyer	George Youstra

The action takes place in 1299 in Florence.

The scene is the bedchamber of the recently deceased
nobleman, Buoso Donati.

PRODUCTION STAFF

Stage Director	Laura Pratt
Production Manager	Melvin Stratton
Stage Manager	Ruth Tressler
Production Assistant	Grace Levinson
Light:	Alan Waite
Wardrobe	Roberta Ault, Laura Fleming, Nadine Watkins
Make-up	Marian Bopp
Properties	Thomas Trunick

Cameras are not permitted in the auditorium during any performance.

RODEHEAVER AUDITORIUM

May 24 and 28, 1956

8:00 P.M.